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Filing at a Glance

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Author(s): Westmont Associates

Reviewer(s): Gayle Neuman (primary), Julie Rachford

Disposition Date: 01/07/2014

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General Information

Project Name: Submission of New & Updated Forms and Status of Filing in Domicile: Authorized

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Project Number: 2012-PSYMM-01-R Domicile Status Comments: Approved in DE.

Reference Organization: None Reference Number: None Reference Title: None Advisory Org. Circular: None

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Created By: Westmont Associates Submitted By: Westmont Associates

Corresponding Filing Tracking Number: 2012-PSYMM-01-F

Filing Description:

Enclosed please find attached the Company's updated rates filing for its Psychiatrists Professional and General Liability Program. A letter permitting Westmont Associates, Inc. to submit this filing on the Company's behalf is enclosed.

In order to serve a broader spectrum of the psychiatrist market, the Company wishes to provide coverage for individual psychiatric physician assistants (PAs) and nurse practitioners (NPs). These classes will be offered the same coverages that are available in the Company's currently approved psychiatrist program, thus the rating will be a factor off of the current psychiatrist rates. Please refer to the attached actuarial memorandum and revised rating plan for additional information.

The corresponding form filing has been submitted under separate cover as Company File #: 2012-PSYMM-01-F.

Your approval and/or acknowledgement of this submission is respectfully requested. If you have any questions regarding this submission, please let me know. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Company and Contact

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Filing Company Information

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Darwin National Assurance CoCode: 16624 State of Domicile: Delaware Company Group Code: Company Type: Property and

9 Farm Springs Road Casualty Group Name:

State ID Number: Farmington, CT 06032 FEIN Number: 56-0997452

(860) 284-1300 ext. [Phone]

Filing Fees

No Fee Required? Retaliatory? No

Fee Explanation:

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State Specific

State:

Refer to our checklists prior to submitting filing (http://www.idfpr.com/DOI/Prop_Cas_IS3_Checklists/IS3_Checklists.htm).: Reviewed and complied

Refer to our updated (04/06/2007) SERFF General Instructions prior to submitting filing. They have been updated to clarify what rates and rules are required to be filed as well as what rates and rules are not required to be filed. Also, the "Product Name" is the Filing Title and not the Project Number.: Understood

NO RATES and/or RULES ARE REQUIRED TO BE FILED FOR LINES OF COVERAGE SUCH AS COMMERCIAL AUTO (except taxicabs), BURGLARY AND THEFT, GLASS, FIDELITY, SURETY, COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABLITY, CROP HAIL, COMMERCIAL PROPERTY, DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS, ERRORS AND OMMISSIONS, COMMERCIAL MULTI PERIL just to mention a few. However, a Summary Sheet (RF-3) is required to be filed. Please refer to the State Specific Field below for what rates/rules are required to be filed and to our checklists for specific statutes, regulations, etc.:

http://insurance.illinois.gov/Prop_Cas_IS3_Checklists/IS3_Checklists.asp .: Understood

Medical Malpractice rates/rules may now be submitted using SERFF effective January 1, 2012.: Understood and attached The only rates and/or rules that are required to be filed are Homeowners, Mobile Homeowners, Dwelling Fire and Allied Lines, Workers' Compensation, Liquor Liability, Private Passenger Automobiles, Taxicabs, Motorcycles and Group Inland Marine Insurance which only applies to insurance involving personal property owned by, being purchased by or pledged as collateral by individuals, and not used in any business, trade or profession per Regulation Part 2302 which says in part, "each company shall file with the Director of Insurance each rate, rule and minimum premium before it is used in the State of Illinois.":

When selecting a form filing type for a multiple form filing, use the dominant type from these choices: APP - application; CER - certificate; COF - coverage form; DPS - declaration page; END - endorsement; POJ - policy jacket; ORG - Companies adopting an Advisory or Rating Organization's filing. Example: If you are submitting a policy as well as endorsements, a declaration page and an application, you would select "POL" for policy.: N/A - Rate/Rule Filing

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Status	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Filed	Gayle Neuman	01/07/2014	01/07/2014

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Subject	Note Type	Created By	Created On	Date Submitted
Re: Effective Date	Note To Reviewer	Westmont Associates	01/07/2014	01/07/2014
effective date	Note To Filer	Gayle Neuman	01/07/2014	01/07/2014
Status Request	Note To Reviewer	Westmont Associates	10/25/2013	10/25/2013
Actuarial Review	Reviewer Note	Julie Rachford	01/03/2014	

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Comment:

	Overall %	Overall %	Written Premium	Number of Policy	Written	Maximum %	Minimum %
Company	Indicated	Rate	Change for	Holders Affected	Premium for	Change	Change
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Name:	Change:	Impact:	this Program:	for this Program:	this Program:	(where req'd):	(where req'd):

Schedule	Schedule Item	Schedule Item Status	Public Access
Supporting Document	Explanatory Memorandum		Yes
Supporting Document	Form RF3 - (Summary Sheet)		Yes
Supporting Document	Certification		Yes
Supporting Document	Manual		Yes
Supporting Document	Letter of Authorization		Yes
Supporting Document	SIde by SIde Comparisons		Yes
Supporting Document	Cover Letter		Yes
Supporting Document	Previous Approval - Informational Only		Yes
Rate	Rating Plan - Illinois		Yes

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Note To Reviewer

Created By:

Westmont Associates on 01/07/2014 08:56 AM

Last Edited By:

Gayle Neuman

Submitted On:

01/07/2014 10:46 AM

Subject:

Re: Effective Date

Comments:

Thank you, Gayle. The effective date can be for today, 1/7/14.

Thanks again!

Meghan

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Gayle Neuman

Submitted On:

01/07/2014 10:46 AM

Subject:

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Comments:

The Department of Insurance has now completed its review of this filing. Originally, you requested the filing to be effective upon approval. Do you wish to have the filing effective on January 3, 2014 or on a different effective date? Your prompt response is appreciated.

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Note To Reviewer

Created By:

Westmont Associates on 10/25/2013 10:55 AM

Last Edited By:

Gayle Neuman

Submitted On:

01/07/2014 10:46 AM

Subject:

Status Request

Comments:

Please let me know if any progress has been made in the review of this filing.

Thank you.

Meghan

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Reviewer Note

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Julie Rachford on 01/03/2014 02:25 PM

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Gayle Neuman

Submitted On:

01/07/2014 10:46 AM

Subject:

Actuarial Review

Comments:

Actuarial review complete.

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Rate Information

State:

Rate data applies to filing.

Filing Method: File and Use

Rate Change Type: Neutral
Overall Percentage of Last Rate Revision: -0.600%

Effective Date of Last Rate Revision: 11/04/2010
Filing Method of Last Filing: File and Use

Company Rate Information

Filing Company:

Darwin National Assurance Company

Company	Overall % Indicated	Overall % Rate	Written Premium Change for	Number of Policy Holders Affected	Written Premium for	Maximum % Change	Minimum % Change
Name:	Change:	Impact:	this Program:	for this Program:	this Program:	(where req'd):	(where req'd):
Darwin National Assurance Company	0.000%	0.000%	\$0	0	\$3,002,301	0.000%	0.000%

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Rate/Rule Schedule

Item	Schedule Item				Previous State	
No.	Status	Exhibit Name	Rule # or Page #	Rate Action	Filing Number	Attachments
1		Rating Plan - Illinois	Pages 1-9	Replacement	See attached	Rating Plan - IL.pdf

General Rating Rules

This rating plan contains the rules, rates and rating procedures for the Psychiatrist Professional and General Business Liability program.

1. Eligibility

Eligibility for our Psychiatrist Professional Liability program requires an MD with training in the field of psychiatry as well as full licensure in the state(s) in which you are practicing. Eligibility for our Psychiatric Physician Assistant or Psychiatric Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Liability Program requires a license, certification, credential and/or accreditation as required by law to practice in the area of psychiatry-mental health.

2. Rates

All rates in this rating plan are annual rates unless otherwise noted, and shall be pro rata for a policy term if other than annual. All factors or modifiers are multiplicative unless otherwise noted. Refer to Addendum A for base rates and territorial definitions for this state.

Compute the premium using the rates in effect on the policy effective date.

3. Rounding Procedures

Round the final premium to the nearest dollar. Round a premium involving 0.50 or more to the next higher whole dollar. Thus, 10,000.50 = 10,001.00; 10,000.49 = 10,000.00

4. Additional Premium Changes

- a. Apply the rates and rules in effect on the effective date of the change.
- b. Compute additional premium pro rata when any coverage or exposure is added or an amount of insurance is increased.

5. Return Premium Changes

- a. Apply the rates and rules in effect on the effective date of the change.
- b. Compute return premium pro rata when any coverage or exposure is deleted or an amount of insurance is decreased.

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6. Policy Cancellation

- a. Compute return premiums as the pro rata unearned premium when:
 - 1) A policy is cancelled by the Company;
 - 2) The insured company no longer has a financial or insurable interest; or,
 - 3) A policy is cancelled and rewritten.
- b. If the above rule does not apply, compute return premium at 0.90 of the pro rata unearned premium.

7. Extended Reporting Period

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for an additional premium calculated by multiplying the following percentages by the premium for the last expiring policy.

# of Years of	
Extended	
Reporting	Charge
Unlimited	200%

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for no additional premium in the event of:

- a. The death of the named insured while his/her policy is in force
- b. The total and permanent disability of the named insured when the disability commences while the policy is in force.
- c. Retirement of the named insured if they have permanently retired from the practice of medicine, is at least 55 years of age, and has been continuously insured with the Company for at least 5 years. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.
- d. An account continuously insured with the Company for at least 10 years and with no prior claims during that period. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.

8. Locum Tenens

A Locum Tenens ("holds the place of") works in place of a Named Insured or Additional Named Insured, never at the same time. The Locum Tenens doctor must be underwritten in the same specialty classification as the Named Insured or Additional Named Insured. Coverage for Locum Tenens is provided for a maximum total of 45 days each policy year at no additional premium.

9. Suspension of Insurance

An insured may request suspension of insurance, due to any of the following reasons:

- Sabbatical, during which the Insured devotes a substantial period of time to the study of the practice of the Professional Services for which he or she is employed by the Named Insured;
- b. Pregnancy, maternity or paternity leave;
- c. Physical disability;
- d. Serious debilitating illness:
- e. Military service subject to the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act; or
- f. Any other reason submitted by the Insured and deemed acceptable by the Named Insured and Insurer,

The insured will not be covered for claims or suits which arise based on an occurrence within the period of suspension. The insured is entitled to report claims during the period of suspension which arise from occurrences when the policy was in force and not on suspense.

Suspension may be secured for a minimum period of 90 consecutive days and for a maximum of one year (except as may otherwise be required for suspension pursuant to the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act). This option is allowed only once every four years except for reason of disability.

The charge during the suspension period is 50% of the claims made rate, provided that no charge shall apply for suspension pursuant to the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If the Named Insured does not return to practice after the period of suspension, the Company will date the cancellation and calculate the premium for the Extended Reporting Period Endorsement effective from the beginning of the period of suspension.

10. Quarterly Payments

Quarterly payments are available for annual premium that is at least \$500. The first payment is 35% of the total, with 3 equal remaining quarterly payments, due no earlier than 3, 6, and 9 months from policy inception.

An additional service charge of 1% of the total premium or \$5.00 for each of the 3 remaining quarterly payments, whichever is less, is billed.

Additional premium resulting from changes to the policy shall be spread equally over the remaining installments. If there are no remaining installments, additional premium resulting from changes to a policy may be billed immediately as a separate transaction.

Rating Formula and Factors

A. INDIVIDUALS

Psychiatrist Professional and General Business Liability coverage is rated in accordance with the following formula:

 $AP = \{ BP \times PCF \times ILF \times OF \times CMSF \times DF \times SRF \} + DCP, where:$

AP = Annual Premium

BP = Base Premium x neurology practice debit, if applicable

PCF = Psychiatric Class Factor ILF = Increased Limits Factor

OF = Occurrence Factor, if applicable CMSF = Claims Made Step Factor, if applicable

DF = Discount Factor = (1 - sum of all applicable credits) SRF = Schedule Rating Factor = (1 - sum of all debits/credits)

DCP = Premium for Defense Costs Related to Licensing Board Investigations

1. Base Premium

Base premium is for mature claims made for \$1,000,000/\$3,000,000 limit per practitioner. This premium is for coverage A (Psychiatrists' Professional Liability) and coverage B (Premises Liability).

Addendum A displays the Base Rates for the territories within the state.

2. Psychiatric Class Factor

Apply the appropriate Professional Class Factor shown below.

Psychiatrist	or Nurse Practit Practice Regi	sician Assistant ioner/Advanced stered Nurse	
	Self-Employed	Employed	
1.00	0.30	0.25	

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3. Increased Limits Factors

Apply the increased limit factor based on applicable limit of liability. The base premium contemplates \$1,000,000 each claim and \$3,000,000 aggregate for the policy period.

	Increased Limit
Limit	Factor
100,000 / 300,000	0.670
200,000 / 600,000	0.750
250,000 / 750,000	0.770
300,000 / 900,000	0.800
400,000 / 1.2M	0.850
500,000 / 1.5M	0.950
1M / 1M	0.970
1M / 3M	1.000
2M / 4M	1.250
2M / 6M	1.280

4. Occurrence Factor

For occurrence based forms, apply a factor of 1.110.

5. Claims Made Step Factors

Apply the appropriate Claims Made Step Factor based on the retroactive date of the policy. The Step Year is calculated as:

	Claims Made
Step Year	Step Factor
1	0.35
2	0.65
3	0.85
4	0.95
5+	1.00

6. Program Discounts

- a. Child and Adolescent Psychiatry a 15% discount is available for insureds whose patient base is less than 50% adult psychiatry.
- b. Part time discount a part time discount of 50% is available to an insured who works 20 hours or less per week or 26 weeks or less per year.

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c. A prep discount is available to those insureds entering private practice for the first time who purchase a policy within 3 years upon completing an internship program, fellowship program, residency program or military service. The applicable prep discount is based on the number of years since the psychiatrist completed the program or service as follows:

50% - less than one year

35% - one year to less than 2 years

25% - 2 years to less than 3 years

0% - 3 years or greater

d. Member in Training (MIT) discount – a discount of 50% is available to an insured who has been classified as an MIT by the American Psychiatric Association.

Note: Only one of B., C., or D. above may apply to an insured.

- e. A Risk Management Seminar discount of 5% is available for completion of courses that are approved by the Company.
- f. New Business 10% credit for each insured applying for a policy for the first time with the Company provided the insured has been claimsfree for 6 months.

7. Neurology Practice Debit

Without Special Procedures
 With Special Procedures
 X Base Premium
 4 X Base Premium

8. Defense Costs Related to Licensing Board Investigations

Defense costs of licensing board investigations or proceedings are covered by the policy for a limit of \$5,000 for no charge. Additional limits are available for additional premiums as follows:

Limit	Additional Premium
\$10,000	\$75
\$25,000	\$95
\$50,000	\$110

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9. Schedule Rating Plan

- a. Claim free for more than 10 years 10% credit
- b. Practice Setting 10% credit to 25% debit
 - 1. Detention facilities
 - 2. Patient recruitment
 - 3. Home based practice
 - Facility has been subject to license or accreditation disciplinary action or federal investigation or prosecution, mass tort litigation or investigative reporting
 - 5. Clinical teaching activities exceed 50% of total practice time
- c. Nature and Scope of Practice 25% debit
 - 1. Treatment of borderline personalities and multiple personality disorders
 - 2. Treatment of pain management
 - 3. Use of abreaction, rage; sodium amytal, sex and recovered memory therapies
 - 4. Supervision of /Consultation with professionals in 1,2 and 3 above
 - 5. Above average daily patient volume
 - 6. Failure to conduct initial patient interview before prescribing medications decline/nonrenew
 - 7. Pharmaceutical research decline
 - 8. General medicine refer to Company for rating/underwriting
 - 9. Adverse risk not contemplated in the base rate refer to Company for rating/underwriting
- d. General Factors 25% debit
 - 1. Hospital staff privileges
 - 2. Managed care network participation
 - 3. Loss experience/history

The maximum schedule rating adjustment is +/- 25%.

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B. GROUP ACCOUNTS

Each insured is rated in accordance with the individual program rules and rates above. Additional premium is charged for certain ancillary employees as noted below. An entity charge is then applied to the total premium for all individuals and ancillary employees. The total premium for the medical group is the sum of the individual psychiatrist premiums, the ancillary employee premiums and the entity charge.

1. Ancillaries

Coverage for ancillary employees is provided at no charge, except for the following. The percentages apply to the appropriate psychiatrist premiums.

	Shared Limit	Separate Limit
Psychologists	20%	25%
Physician Assistants	20%	25%
Certified Nurse Practitioners	20%	25%

2. Business Entity Charge

When a group of two or more psychiatrists have formed a corporation, partnership or association, business entity coverage is available for an additional 10% of the total premium for all psychiatrists and ancillary employees.

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Supporting Document Schedules

State:

Satisfied - Item:	Explanatory Memorandum
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Attachment(s):	Actuarial Memorandum.pdf
Item Status:	
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Satisfied - Item:	Form RF3 - (Summary Sheet)
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Satisfied - Item:	Certification
Comments:	Attached is the certification.
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Satisfied - Item:	Manual
Comments:	Understood; please refer to the rate/rule manual.
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Satisfied - Item:	Letter of Authorization
Comments:	Please refer to the attached letter of authorization.
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Explanatory Memorandum

In order to serve a broader spectrum of the psychiatrist market, we wish to provide coverage for individual psychiatric physician assistants (PAs) and nurse practioners (NPs). These classes will be offered the same coverages that are available in our psychiatrist program, thus the rating will be a factor off of the current psychiatrist rates.

We currently write PAs and NPs as ancillaries on the psychiatrist policy at a factor of 0.25. We propose to use the 0.25 factor for employed PAs and NPs. To determine the factor for self-employed PAs and NPs, we turned to competitor rates. For psychiatric nurse practitioners, Fireman's Fund's self-employed rates are 20% higher than their employed rates. So we selected a factor 20% higher for self-employed, or 0.30 (0.25 x 1.20). CNA's self-employed to employed relativity applied to the 0.25 results in a factor of 0.325, further supporting our selection. There is no impact from the introduction of this factor since we currently don't write PAs and NPs on their own policies.

Please refer to the attached marked up and clean versions of our revised rating plan to see exactly how this fits into our rating algorithm. We also took the opportunity to make editorial changes to the rating plan, as shown in the marked up version, for clarification purposes only. These do not have any rate impact on our current book. One of these clarifications was to remove the words, "on a shared limit basis" in the business entity rule on the final page of the rating plan. This wording was misleading as only the general liability coverage limits are shared; the primary professional liability coverage is provided on a separate limits basis to the business entity.

Section 754.EXHIBIT A Summary Sheet (Form RF-3)

FORM (RF-3)

SUMMARY SHEET

	(1) Coverage	(2) Annual Premium Volume (Illinois) *	(3) Percent Change (+or-) **
_	Automobile Liability Private Passenger		
	Commercial Automobile Physical Damag Private Passenger Commercial		
	Liability Other Than Auto Burglary and Theft		
	Glass Fidelity		
	Surety Boiler and Machinery Fire		
	Extended Coverage Inland Marine		
	Homeowners Commercial Multi-Peril Crop Hail	According to the control of the cont	
	Other Medical Malpractice Life of Insurance	0	0
	Does filing only apply to certa Classes? If so, specify:	ain territory (territories) or	certain
	Brief description of filing. (If f Organization, specify	•	•
	organization): psychiatric physician assistants (P.		e coverage for individual IPs).
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			me of Company Vice President of Complianc
			Official – Title

Actuarial Statement

I, Ilene Burke, certify that our company's rates are based on sound actuarial principles and are not inconsistent with our company's experience.

flene S. Burke, FCAS, MAAA

AVP/Actuary

Darwin National Assurance Company



March 7, 2013

RE: Darwin National Assurance Company

NAIC#: 16624

FEIN#: 56-0997452 Letter of Authorization

Filing of Forms, Rates and Rules

In accordance with the applicable statutes and regulations of your state, Nancy Stepanski, Wesley Pohler, Jennifer Waldron, Meghan Slenkamp and Westmont Associates, Inc. are hereby authorized to file form, rate and rule filings on behalf of the Company.

Sincerely,

Marlene Mourad

Vice President

Compliance

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General Rating Rules

This rating plan contains the rules, rates and rating procedures for the Psychiatrist Professional and General Business Liability program.

1. Eligibility

Eligibility for our Psychiatrist Professional Liability program requires an MD with training in the field of psychiatry as well as full licensure in the state(s) in which you are practicing. Eligibility for our Psychiatric Physician Assistant or Psychiatric Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Liability Program requires a license, certification, credential and/or accreditation as required by law to practice in the area of psychiatry-mental health.

2. Rates

All rates in this rating plan are annual rates unless otherwise noted, and shall be pro rata for a policy term if other than annual. All factors or modifiers are multiplicative unless otherwise noted. Refer to Addendum A for base rates and territorial definitions for this state.

Compute the premium using the rates in effect on the policy effective date.

3. Rounding Procedures

Round the final premium to the nearest dollar. Round a premium involving 0.50 or more to the next higher whole dollar. Thus, 10,000.50 = 10,001.00; 10,000.49 = 10,000.00

4. Additional Premium Changes

- A. Apply the rates and rules in effect on the effective date of the change.
- B. Compute additional premium pro rata when any coverage or exposure is added or an amount of insurance is increased.

5. Return Premium Changes

- A. Apply the rates and rules in effect on the effective date of the change.
- B. Compute return premium pro rata when any coverage or exposure is deleted or an amount of insurance is decreased.

6. Policy Cancellation

a) Compute return premiums as the pro rata unearned premium when:

- 1) A policy is cancelled by the Company;
- 2) The insured company no longer has a financial or insurable interest; or.
- 3) A policy is cancelled and rewritten.
- b) If the above rule does not apply, compute return premium at 0.90 of the pro rata unearned premium.

7. Extended Reporting Period

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for an additional premium calculated by multiplying the following percentages by the premium for the last expiring policy.

# of Years of	
Extended	
Reporting	Charge
Unlimited	200%

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for no additional premium in the event of:

- A. The death of the named insured while his/her policy is in force
- **B.** The total and permanent disability of the named insured when the disability commences while the policy is in force.
- C. Retirement of the named insured if they have permanently retired from the practice of medicine, is at least 55 years of age, and has been continuously insured with the Company for at least 5 years. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.
- D. An account continuously insured with the Company for at least 10 years and with no prior claims during that period. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.

8. Locum Tenens

A Locum Tenens ("holds the place of") works in place of a Named Insured or Additional Named Insured, never at the same time. The Locum Tenens doctor must be underwritten in the same specialty classification as the Named Insured or Additional Named Insured. Coverage for Locum Tenens is provided for a maximum total of 45 days each policy year at no additional premium.

9. Suspension of Insurance

An insured may request suspension of insurance, due to disability or to accommodate a sabbatical leave of training. any of the following reasons:

- Sabbatical, during which the Insured devotes a substantial period of time to the study of the practice of the Professional Services for which he or she is employed by the Named Insured;
- 2. Pregnancy, maternity or paternity leave;
- 3. Physical disability;
- 4. Serious debilitating illness;
- 5. Military service subject to the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act; or
- 6. Any other reason submitted by the **Insured** and deemed acceptable by the **Named Insured** and **Insurer**,

The insured will not be covered for claims or suits which arise based on an occurrence within the period of suspension. The insured is entitled to report claims during the period of suspension which arise from occurrences when the policy was in force and not on suspense.

Suspension may be secured for a minimum period of 90 consecutive days and for a maximum of one year (except as may otherwise be required for suspension pursuant to the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act). This option is allowed only once every four years except for reason of disability.

The charge during the suspension period is 50% of the claims made rate, provided that no charge shall apply for suspension pursuant to the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act. If the Named Insured does not return to practice after the period of suspension, the Company will date the cancellation and calculate the premium for the Extended Reporting Period Endorsement effective from the beginning of the period of suspension.

10. Quarterly Payments

Quarterly payments are available for annual premium that is at least \$500. The first payment is 35% of the total, with 3 equal remaining quarterly payments, due no earlier than 3, 6, and 9 months from policy inception.

An additional service charge of 1% of the total premium or \$5.00 for each of the 3 remaining quarterly payments, whichever is less, is billed.

Additional premium resulting from changes to the policy shall be spread equally over the remaining installments. If there are no remaining installments, additional premium resulting from changes to a policy may be billed immediately as a separate transaction.

Rating Formula and Factors

A. INDIVIDUALS

The premium for an individual psychiatrist is rated in accordance with the following plan.

Psychiatrist Professional and General Business Liability coverage is rated in accordance with the following formula:

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= { BP x PCF x ILF x OF x CMSF x DF x SRF} + DCP, where:
           = Annual Premium for Healthcare Organizations
AP
BP
           = Base Premium x neurology practice debit, if applicable
PCF
           = Psychiatric Class Factor
ILF
          = Increased Limits Factor
OF
          = Occurrence Factor, if applicable
CMSF = Claims Made Step Factor, if applicable
       = Discount Factor = (1 - sum of all applicable credits)
DF
SRF
          = Schedule Rating Factor = (1 – sum of all debits/credits)
          = Premium for Defense Costs Related to Licensing Board Investigations
DCP
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1. Base Premium

Base premium is for mature claims made for \$1,000,000/\$3,000,000 limit per practitioner. This premium is for coverage A (Psychiatrists' Professional Liability) and coverage B (Premises Liability).

Addendum A displays the Base Rates for the territories within the state.

2. Psychiatric Class Factor

Apply the appropriate Professional Class Factor shown below.

<u>Psychiatrist</u>	Psychiatric Physician Assistant	
	or Nurse Practitioner/Advanced	
	Practice Registered Nurse	
	Self-Employed	Employed

1.00	0.30	0.25
1.00	0.00	0.20

3. Increased Limits Factors

Apply the increased limit factor based on applicable limit of liability. The base premium contemplates \$1,000,000 each claim and \$3,000,000 aggregate for the policy period.

	Increased	
Limit	Limit Factor	
100,000 / 300,000	0.670	
200,000 / 600,000	0.750	
250,000 / 750,000	0.770	
300,000 / 900,000	0.800	
400,000 / 1.2M	0.850	
500,000 / 1.5M	0.950	
1M / 1M	0.970	
1M / 3M	1.000	
2M / 4M	1.250	
2M / 6M	1.280	

4. Occurrence Factor

For occurrence based forms, apply a factor of 1.110.

5. Claims Made Step Factors

Apply the appropriate Claims Made Step Factor based on the retroactive date of the policy. The Step Year is calculated as:

Step Year = (Expiration date – Retroactive date) / 365, rounded to nearest whole year

	Claims	
	Made Step	
Step Year	Factor	
1	0.35	
2	0.65	
3	0.85	
4	0.95	

5+	1.00
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6. Program Discounts

- B. Child and Adolescent Psychiatry a 15% discount is available for psychiatrists insureds whose patient base is less than 50% adult psychiatry.
- C. Part time discount a part time discount of 50% is available to an insured who works 20 hours or less per week or 26 weeks or less per year.
- D. A prep discount is available to those psychiatrists insureds entering private practice for the first time who purchase a policy within 3 years upon completing an internship program, fellowship program, residency program or military service. The applicable prep discount is based on the number of years since the psychiatrist completed the program or service as follows:

50% - less than one year

35% - one year to less than 2 years

25% - 2 years to less than 3 years

0% - 3 years or greater

E. Member in Training (MIT) discount – a discount of 50% is available to an insured who has been classified as an MIT by the American Psychiatric Association.

Note: Only one of B., C., or D. above may apply to an insured.

- F. A Risk Management Seminar discount of 5% is available for completion of courses that are approved by the Company.
- G. New Business 10% credit for each insured applying for a policy for the first time with the Company provided the insured has been claims-free for 6 months.

7. Neurology Practice Debit

Without Special Procedures
 2 X Psychiatrist Base Premium

With Special Procedures

4 X Psychiatrist Base Premium

8. Defense Costs Related to Licensing Board Investigations

Defense costs of licensing board investigations or proceedings are covered by the policy for a limit of \$5,000 for no charge. Additional limits are available for additional premiums as follows:

	Additional
Limit	Premium

\$10,000	\$75
\$25,000	\$95
\$50,000	\$110

9. Schedule Rating Plan

- A. Claim free for more than 10 years 10% credit
- B. Practice Setting 10% credit to 25% debit
 - 1. Detention facilities
 - 2. Patient recruitment
 - 3. Home based practice
 - 4. Facility has been subject to license or accreditation disciplinary action or federal investigation or prosecution, mass tort litigation or investigative reporting
 - 5. Clinical teaching activities exceed 50% of total practice time
- C. Nature and Scope of Practice 25% debit
 - Treatment of borderline personalities and multiple personality disorders
 - 2. Treatment of pain management
 - 3. Use of abreaction, rage; sodium amytal, sex and recovered memory therapies
 - 4. Supervision of /Consultation with professionals in 1,2 and 3 above
 - 5. Above average daily patient volume
 - 6. Failure to conduct initial patient interview before prescribing medications decline/nonrenew
 - 7. Pharmaceutical research decline
 - 8. General medicine refer to Company for rating/underwriting
 - 9. Adverse risk not contemplated in the base rate refer to Company for rating/underwriting
- D. General Factors 25% debit
 - 1. Hospital staff privileges
 - 2. Managed care network participation
 - 3. Loss experience/history

The maximum schedule rating adjustment is +/- 25%.

B. GROUP ACCOUNTS

Medical groups that are professional corporations, partnerships or associations operated by behavioral healthcare professionals are rated as follows.

Each psychiatrist insured is rated in accordance with the individual program rules and rates above. Additional premium is charged for certain ancillary employees as noted below. An entity charge is then applied to the total premium for all psychiatrists individuals and ancillary employees. The total premium for the medical group is the sum of the individual psychiatrist premiums, the ancillary employee premiums and the entity charge.

1. Ancillaries

Coverage for ancillary employees is provided at no charge, except for the following. The percentages apply to the appropriate psychiatrist premiums.

	Shared Limit	Separate Limit
Psychologists	20%	25%
Physician Assistants	20%	25%
Certified Nurse Practitioner	s 20%	25%

2. Business Entity Charge

When a group of two or more psychiatrists have formed a corporation, partnership or association, business entity coverage is available on a shared limit basis for an additional 10% of the total premium for all psychiatrists and ancillary employees.



Department of Insurance Property and Casualty Division Rates Review Section

RE: Darwin National Assurance Company

NAIC #: 16624 FEIN #: 56-0997452

Psychiatrists Professional and General Liability Program

Submission of New & Updated Rates

Effective Date: Upon Approval/or Acknowledgement

Filing Number: 2012-PSYMM-01-R

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed please find attached the Company's updated rates filing for its Psychiatrists Professional and General Liability Program. A letter permitting Westmont Associates, Inc. to submit this filing on the Company's behalf is enclosed.

In order to serve a broader spectrum of the psychiatrist market, the Company wishes to provide coverage for individual psychiatric physician assistants (PAs) and nurse practitioners (NPs). These classes will be offered the same coverages that are available in the Company's currently approved psychiatrist program, thus the rating will be a factor off of the current psychiatrist rates. Please refer to the attached actuarial memorandum and revised rating plan for additional information.

The forms to be used with the enclosed rates have been filed under separate cover letter as Company filing #: 2012-PSYMM-01-F.

Your approval and/or acknowledgement of this submission is respectfully requested. If you have any questions regarding this submission, please let me know. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

Meghan Slenkamp

Meghan Slenkamp Analyst meghans@westmontlaw.com Enclosures

cc: N. Stepanski – Westmont

M. Mourad - DNAC



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STATE OF ILLINOIS **DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE** SPRINGFIELD

The Honorable Michael T. McRaith Director of Insurance Illinois Department of Insurance 320 W. Washington Street Property and Casualty Division Rates Review Section Springfield, IL 62767

RE:

Darwin National Assurance Company

NAIC #: 16624 FEIN #: 56-0997452

RATERVLE Psychiatrists Professional and General Liability Program

Submission of Updated Rates

Effective Date: Upon Approval/or Acknowledgement

Filing Number: 2010-7010-R

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STATE OF ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS

Dear Director McRaith:

Enclosed please find attached the Company's updated rates filing for its Psychiatrists Professional and General Liability Program. A letter permitting Westmont Associates, Inc. to submit this filing on the Company's behalf is enclosed.

The Company writes this program through its administrator, the American Professional Agency, Inc. (APA Inc.), which manages the registered risk purchasing group in your jurisdiction, Professional Counselors Purchasing Group, Inc. The administrator has recently garnered the sponsorship of the American Psychiatric Association (APA). The changes the Company is proposing are meant to enhance and more closely align its program to its competitor whose program administrator previously had the endorsement of the APA. Please refer to the attached materials for additional information.

The forms to be used in coordination with the enclosed rates have been filed under separate cover letter as Company filing number 2010-7010-F.

Your approval and/or acknowledgement of this submission is respectfully requested. If you have any questions regarding this submission, please let me know. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

Wesley Pohler

Wesley Pohler Assistant Vice-President wes@westmontlaw.com

Enclosures

cc:

N. Stepanski – Westmont

M. Mourad - DNAC

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SUMMARY SHEET

Change in Company's premium or rate level	produced by rate revision effective	7/1/10
(1) <u>Coverage</u>	(2) Annual Premium <u>Volume (Illinois)*</u>	(3) Percent <u>Change (+ or -)**</u>
1. Automobile Liability Private Passenger Commercial 2. Automobile Physical Damage Private Passenger Commercial 3. Liability Other Than Auto 4. Burglary and Theft 5. Glass 6. Fidelity 7. Surety 8. Boiler and Machinery 9. Fire 10. Extended Coverage 11. Inland Marine 12. Homeowners 13. Commercial Multi-Peril 14. Crop Hail 15. Other Medical Malgractice Line of Insurance	3, 234, 808	
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DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE
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ILLINOIS CERTIFICATION FOR MEDICAL MALPRACTICE RATES

(215 ILCS 5/155.18)(3) states that medical liability rates shall be certified in such filing by an officer of the company and a qualified actuary that the company's rates are based on sound actuarial principles and are not inconsistent with the company's experience.

I, <u>Timothy Curry</u> , a duly authorized officer of <u>Darwin National Assurance Company</u> , am authorized to certify on behalf of the Company making this filing that the company's rates are based on sound actuarial principles and are not inconsistent with the company's experience, and that I am knowledgeable of the laws, regulations and bulletins applicable to the policy rates that are the subject of this filing.
I, <u>Ilene Burke</u> , a duly authorized actuary of <u>Darwin National Assurance Company</u> am authorized to certify on behalf of <u>Darwin National Assurance Company</u> making this filing that the company's rates are based on sound actuarial principles and are not inconsistent with the company's experience, and that I am knowledgeable of the laws, regulations and bulletins applicable to the policy rates that are the subject of this filing.
Signature and Title of Authorized Insurance Company Officer AVP/Actuary Signature, Title and Designation of Authorized Actuary Date
Insurance Company FEIN 56 -0997452 Filing Number 2010-7010-R Insurer's Address 9 Farm Springs Road
City Farmington State CT Zip Code 06109
Contact Person's: -Name and E-mail <u>Marlene Mourad</u> <u>marlene.mourad@awac.com</u>
Direct Telephone and Fax Number <u>tel: 860-284-1478; fax: 860-284-1479</u>

Officer S	tatement
I, Marlene Mourad, certify that our comparinciples and are not inconsistent with our comparinciples.	any's rates are based on sound actuarial company's experience.
	Marlene Mourad, Esq. Assistant Vice President, Compliance Darwin National Assurance Company

Actuarial Statement

I, Ilene Burke,	certify that	our compan	y's rates	are based	on sound	actuarial	principles
and are not inc	onsistent w	ith our comp	any's ex	perience.			

flene S. Burke, FCAS, MAAA AVP/Actuary Darwin National Assurance Company

Neuman, Gayle

From:

Jennifer Waldron [JenB@westmontlaw.com]

Sent:

Thursday, November 04, 2010 10:31 AM

To: Cc: Neuman, Gayle

Subject:

Wes Pohler FW: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Dear Ms. Neuman:

Please note that the Company has not put the filing into effect and would like to request 11/4/10 as the effective date for this filing. Feel free to contact me if you require any additional information.

Thank You, Jennifer Waldron Westmont Associates, Inc. (856) 216-0220 (856) 216-0303 (Fax)

From: Neuman, Gayle [mailto:Gayle.Neuman@illinois.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, November 03, 2010 2:44 PM

To: Wes Pohler

Subject: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Mr. Pohler,

The Department of Insurance has now completed its review of the filing referenced above. Previously, Darwin National Assurance Company requested the filing be effective July 1, 2010. Was the filing put in effect on July 1, 2010 or do you wish to have a different effective date?

Your prompt response is appreciated.

Gayle Neuman

Illinois Department of Insurance Property & Casualty Compliance (217) 524-6497

Please refer to the Property & Casualty Review Checklists before submitting any filing. The checklists can be accessed through the Department's website at www.insurance.illinois.gov.

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Neuman, Gayle

From:

Wes Pohler [Wes@westmontlaw.com]

Sent:

Wednesday, November 03, 2010 1:45 PM

To:

Neuman, Gayle

Subject:

Out of Office: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

I am currently out of the office on vacation, returning on Monday, November 8th. I will not have access to email or voice-mail. For any urgent matters, please contact Jen Waldron (jenb@westmontlaw.com), Sherri Penn (sherri@westmontlaw.com), or Meghan Slenkamp (meghans@westmontlaw.com). Thank you and have a great day!

Mamoottile, Neetha

From:

Wes Pohler [Wes@westmontlaw.com] Thursday, September 09, 2010 9:48 AM

Sent: To:

Mamoottile, Neetha

Cc:

Jennifer Waldron; Sherri Penn; Meghan Slenkamp; 'Mourad, Marlene F'

Subject:

RE: ILDOI-Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate Filing # 2010-7010-R

Attachments:

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Categories:

Darwin National Assurance Company

Thank you Neetha for your e-mail.

Attached is the certification you requested. Please let me know if you have any additional questions.

Thanks,

Wes

From: Mamoottile, Neetha [mailto:Neetha.Mamoottile@Illinois.gov]

Sent: Thursday, September 09, 2010 9:21 AM

To: Wes Pohler

Subject: FW: ILDOI-Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate Filing # 2010-7010-R

Mr. Pohler,

Please provide me with an update on your status thus far.

Thank You,

Neetha Mamoottile

From: Mamoottile, Neetha

Sent: Wednesday, September 01, 2010 3:03 PM

To: 'wes@westmontlaw.com'

Subject: ILDOI-Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate Filing # 2010-7010-R

Mr. Pohler,

According to Section 155.18(c)(3) of Illinois Insurance Code (215 ILCS 5/155.18(c)(3)), medical malpractice rate filings "shall be certified in such filing by an officer of the company and a qualified actuary that the company's rates are based on sound actuarial principles and are not inconsistent with the company's experience."

Pursuant to Section 155.04(2) of the Illinois Insurance Code (215 ILCS 155.04(2)), all companies licensed to transact insurance business in Illinois must notify the Director within 30 days of the appointment or election of any new officers or directors. Section 915.40 of the Illinois Administrative Code (50 Ill. Adm. Code 915.40) further stipulates biographical affidavits of newly elected or appointed officers must be filed within 30 days after the person's election or appointment.

Ms. Marlene Mourad, signed the certification accompanying the subject filing as Assistant Vice President of Darwin National Assurance Company. However, we have yet to find evidence that Ms. Mourad is an authorized officer for Darwin National Assurance Company. Upon search of our records, we find that, no biographical affidavit has been filed

with the Department of Insurance for IVIS. Mourad. The subject filing is considered incomplete until a certification form with the appropriate company officer signature is submitted or until proper biographical affidavit documentation is filed.

Also, we request that you use the suggested certification form available at the following website: http://insurance.illinois.gov/Prop Cas IS3 Checklists/statutes/MedMalCertificationForm.pdf to fulfill this requirement.

Please respond by September 9th, 2010.

Thank You, Neetha Mamoottile

Neetha M. Mamoottile Actuarial Assistant Illinois Department of Insurance Neetha.Mamoottile@illinois.gov 217-557-1397

Extended Reporting Period Illinois

The portion of the Extended Reporting Rule, dealing with eligibility for free coverage, is changed as follows (strikethroughs are deletions, underlines are additions):

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for no additional premium in the event of:

- A. The death of the named insured while his/her policy is in force
- **B.** The total and permanent disability of the named insured when the disability commences while the policy is in force.
- C. Retirement of the named insured if they have permanently retired from the practice of medicine, is at least 55 years of age, and has been continuously insured with the Company for at least 5 years. However for those accounts that are existing client of American Professional Agency as of September 30, 2004 the requirement to have been continuously insured with the Company will be waived provided that either the named insured has been continuously insured with a claims made policy through American Professional Agency for at least 5 years or has been insured by the Company for at least 2 consecutive years. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.
- D. An account continuously insured with the Company for at least 10 years and with no prior claims during that period. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.



February 24, 2010

RE:

Darwin National Assurance Company

NAIC#: 16624

FEIN#: 56-0997452 Letter of Authorization

Filing of Forms, Rates and Rules

In accordance with the applicable statutes and regulations of your state, Nancy Stepanski, Wesley Pohler, Jennifer Waldron and Westmont Associates, Inc. are hereby authorized to file form, rate and rule filings on behalf of the Company.

Sincerely,

John Wilkens, CPCU

AVP - Senior Regulatory & Compliance Specialist

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Darwin National Assurance Company

Psychiatrists Professional and General Business Liability

Explanatory Memorandum

Darwin National Assurance Company ("Darwin") proposes several changes to its Psychiatrists Professional and General Business Liability program rates in the state of Illinois. The overall impact of the changes listed below is - 0.6%.

We write this program through our administrator, the American Professional Agency, Inc. (APA Inc.). They have recently garnered the sponsorship of the American Psychiatric Association (APA). The changes we are proposing are meant to enhance and more closely align our program to that of the National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, PA. (AIG), the company whose program administrator previously had the endorsement of the APA.

Proposed Revisions To Claims Made Step Factors

We propose reductions of 30% for the first year and 13.3% for the 2nd year claims made factors, with an overall impact of -0.6%. The revised set of factors match those of AIG. See Exhibit 1 for details.

Proposed Additional Rating Elements (These have no impact to our current insureds.)

- 1) Occurrence factor: In conjunction with our introduction of an occurrence form, we propose a factor for this form of 1.11 off of the fully mature claims-made rate. This matches the differential between AIG's fully mature claims-made base rate and their occurrence base rate.
- 2) Limit options: For the limits we currently offer, our increased limit factors match AIG's. We propose to expand our limit offerings at the same factor levels as AIG. See Exhibit 2, Section A, for details.
- 3) Defense costs related to licensing board investigation: We propose to add a 50,000 limit to the options for increasing this coverage above the base. The rate of \$110 was estimated judgmentally based on the charges at the lower limits. See Exhibit 2, Section B, for details.
- 4) Neurology practice charges: In conjunction with the introduction of this optional coverage, we propose charges equivalent to those used by AIG. Please see Exhibit 2, Section C, for details.
- 5) Member in Training (MIT) credit: We propose a 50% credit for an insured who has been classified as an MIT by the APA. This is the same credit that is offered by AIG.
- 6) New business credit: We propose a 10% credit for a policyholder applying to Darwin for the first time that has been claim free for the past twelve months. This is similar to the new business credit used in the Darwin Psychologist Program.
- 7) Practice setting schedule rating factor: We propose to expand the range of this factor from a 0% to 25% debit to a 10% credit to a 25% debit.

Other Rule Changes (These have no impact to our current insureds.)

- 1) Tail Coverage: We propose revisions to the eligibility for free Extended Reporting Period coverage. Please see Exhibit 3 for the exact mark-up of the rule.
- 2) Child Credit: We propose to delete the requirement of membership in the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry in order to be eligible for the child and adolescent credit. The other criteria of having a patient base that is less than 50% adult psychiatry will remain in place.
- 3) Credit Combinations: We propose to add the restriction that only one of the part-time, prep, or MIT discounts can apply to each insured.

Claims-Made Step Factors Illinois

	Current	Proposed	
C-M Year	Factor	Factor	% Change
1	0.5	0.35	-30.0%
2	0.75	0.65	-13.3%
3	0.85	0.85	0.0%
4	0.95	0.95	0.0%
5+	1	1	0.0%
Overall Impact:			-0.6%

^{*} Impact assumes C-M year distribution of prospective period's book is same as distribution of current book

Darwin National Assurance Company

Psychiatrist Professional and General Business Liability

Additional Rating Elements Illinois

Section

A Limits Options

<u>Limit</u>	Current ILF	Proposed ILF = AIG, re-based to 1M/3M
100K/300K	(new limit)	0.670
200K/600K	(new limit)	0.750
250K/750K	(new limit)	0.770
300K/900K	(new limit)	0.800
400K/1.2M	(new limit)	0.850
500K/1.5M	0.950	no change
1M/1M	0.970	no change
1M/3M	1.000	no change
2M/4M	1.250	no change
2M/6M	(new limit)	1.280

B Defense Costs Related to Licensing Board Investigations Options

Additional	Current	Proposed
<u>Limit</u>	<u>Premium</u>	<u>Premium</u>
10,000	\$75	no change
25,000	\$95	no change
50,000	(new limit)	\$110

C Neurology Practice Charges

	Proposed Premium - AIG
Without special procedures	2 X Psychiatrist Base Premium
With special procedures	4 X Psychiatrist Base Premium

Neuman, Gayle

From:

Wes Pohler [Wes@westmontlaw.com]

Sent:

Thursday, July 08, 2010 10:22 AM

To:

Neuman, Gayle

Cc:

Colonna, Karen; 'Mourad, Marlene F'; Burke, Ilene; Jennifer Waldron; Sherri Penn; Meghan

Slenkamp; Nancy Stepanski; Scott Riley

Subject:

RE: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Attachments:

ActuarialStatement.pdf; Psychiatrist Rating Plan_05-2010_IL.PDF

Thank you Gayle for your help with this submission.

We are in receipt of your questions dated July 1 regarding the Company's Psychiatrists rate revision submission. We hereby reply to your questions in the order stated in your letter:

- 1. Please be advised that the Company reports its Professional Liability statistics to ISS.
- 2. Per your state's requirements, please refer to the attached signed Actuarial Statement.
- 3. With regard to the Company's premium installment plan options, please refer to the page #3 of the attached final Illinois rating plan.
- 4. Please refer to the attached final copy of the Illinois rating manual.

If you have any additional questions or concerns, please let us know.

Thanks,

Wes

From: Neuman, Gayle [mailto:Gayle.Neuman@illinois.gov]

Sent: Thursday, July 01, 2010 3:34 PM

To: Wes Pohler

Subject: RE: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

That is fine.

Gayle Neuman

Illinois Department of Insurance (217)524-6497

From: Wes Pohler [mailto:Wes@westmontlaw.com]

Sent: Thursday, July 01, 2010 2:32 PM

To: Neuman, Gayle

Subject: RE: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Thank you Gayle - may I reply via e-mail?

Wes

From: Neuman, Gayle [mailto:Gayle.Neuman@illinois.gov]

Sent: Thursday, July 01, 2010 3:23 PM

To: Wes Pohler

Subject: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Mr. Pohler,

I am in receipt of the above referenced filing submitted with your cover letter dated June 21, 2010.

Please address the following issues/questions:

- 1. Please indicate if your company has a plan for the gathering of statistics or the reporting of statistics to statistical agencies? If yes, what stat agency is being used?
- 2. 215 ILCS 5/155.18 states it shall be certified in this filing by an officer of the company and a qualified actuary that the company's rates are based on sound actuarial principles and are not inconsistent with the company's experience. This information is required in every rate/rule filing for medical malpractice.
- 3. All companies writing medical liability insurance shall file with the Director a plan to offer each medical liability insured the option to make premium payments, in at least quarterly installments. For purposes of this requirement, insurers may, but are not required to, offer such premium installment plans to insureds whose annual premiums are less than \$500. All quarterly installment premium payment plan provisions shall be contained in the filed rate and/or rule manual in a section entitled, "Quarterly Installment Option" or a substantially similar title. All quarterly installment premium payment plans shall include the minimum standards listed below. Insurers may provide for quarterly installment premium payment plans that differ from these minimum standards, as long as such plans have terms that are at least as or more favorable than those listed below.
- An initial payment of no more than 40% of the estimated total premium due at policy inception;
- Remaining premium spread equally among the second, third, and fourth installments, with the maximum for such installments set at 30% of the estimated total premium, and due 3, 6, and 9 months from policy inception,
- No interest charges;
- Installment charges or fees of no more than 1% of the total premium or \$25.00, whichever is less;
- A provision stating that additional premium resulting from changes to the policy shall be spread equally over the remaining installments, if any. If there are no remaining installments, additional premium resulting from changes to a policy may be billed immediately as a separate transaction.
- 4. Pursuant to 50 Ill. Adm. Code 754.10, identification of all changes in all superseding filings, as well as identification of all superseded filings is required. You should also provide a copy of the entire manual for psychiatrists including a final print of the page listed as Exhibit 3 in the submission.

I request receipt of your response by July 9, 2010.

Gayle Neuman

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Neuman, Gayle

From:

Neuman, Gayle

Sent:

Friday, August 20, 2010 9:17 AM

To:

'Meghan Slenkamp'

Subject:

RE: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Meghan,

This will be the last extension allowed.

Gayle Neuman

Illinois Department of Insurance (217)524-6497

From: Meghan Slenkamp [mailto:meghans@westmontlaw.com]

Sent: Friday, August 20, 2010 9:14 AM

To: Neuman, Gayle Cc: Wes Pohler

Subject: FW: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Gayle:

Please let me know if a one week extension to respond to your below concerns may be granted. We have had several contacts out on vacation, but would be able to provide a response to you by 8/27/10.

Thank you.

Meghan

Meghan Slenkamp Westmont Associates, Inc. 25 Chestnut St., Suite 105 Haddonfield, NJ 08033 (856) 216-0220 - Phone (856) 216-0303 - Fax



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From: Neuman, Gayle [mailto:Gayle.Neuman@illinois.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, August 17, 2010 2:49 PM

To: Wes Pohler

Subject: FW: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Wes,

I request receipt of your response by August 20, 2010.

Gayle Neuman

Illinois Department of Insurance (217)524-6497

From: Neuman, Gayle

Sent: Thursday, July 22, 2010 9:10 AM

To: 'Wes Pohler'

Subject: FW: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

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I previously indicated the identification of all changes is required. There was no response to this – there was only a response to the exhibit 3 issue.

Your prompt attention is appreciated.

Gayle Neuman

Illinois Department of Insurance (217)524-6497

From: Neuman, Gayle

Sent: Thursday, July 22, 2010 8:38 AM

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Neuman, Gayle

From: Sent: Wes Pohler [Wes@westmontlaw.com] Tuesday, August 24, 2010 12:38 PM

To:

Neuman, Gavle

Cc:

Mourad, Marlene F; 'Burke, Ilene'

Subject:

RE: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Attachments:

Exhibit 3 Clean IL.DOCX; Psychiatrist Rating Plan 05-2010 IL MarkUp.pdf; Psychiatrist

Rating Plan 05-2010 IL.pdf

Thank you Gayle for your help.

As per our conversation today, we believe that the certification question has been rectified.

Per our e-mails and conversations, please see the following information:

- "Clean" version of Exhibit 3 with changes accepted
- Mark up version of the Psychiatrists Rating Plan which shows all revisions
- Final version of the Psychiatrists Rating Plan
- ISS is the Independent Statistical Service, Inc. this service is used by the Company for stat reporting

Please let me know if you have any additional questions.

Thanks,

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Is Ms. Mourad also an actuary? We require the certification also be provided by an actuary and the statement she provided does not reflect that she is also an actuary.

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Additionally, please disclose who ISS is.

Your response is due no later than August 27, 2010. An extension was already granted.

Gayle Neuman

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From: Wes Pohler [mailto:Wes@westmontlaw.com]

Sent: Friday, August 20, 2010 2:53 PM

To: Neuman, Gayle

Subject: RE: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Thank you Gayle. My apologies for the delay.

Attached is the Illinois Officer Statement you requested.

We hereby confirm that ISS is the statistical agent.

I am currently out of the office - if you need anything else, please let me know and I will do my best to reply Monday.

Best regards,

Wes

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Darwin National Assurance Company Psychiatrist Professional and General Business Liability Extended Reporting Period Exhibit 3 Illinois (Clean Copy)

The portion of the Extended Reporting Rule, dealing with eligibility for free coverage, is changed as follows:

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for no additional premium in the event of:

- **A.** The death of the named insured while his/her policy is in force.
- **B.** The total and permanent disability of the named insured when the disability commences while the policy is in force.
- **C.** Retirement of the named insured if they have permanently retired from the practice of medicine, is at least 55 years of age, and has been continuously insured with the Company for at least 5 years. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.
- **D.** An account continuously insured with the Company for at least 10 years and with no prior claims during that period. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.

General Rating Rules

This rating plan contains the rules, rates and rating procedures for the Psychiatrist Professional and OfficeGeneral Business Liability program.

1. Eligibility

Eligibility for our Psychiatrist Professional Liability program requires an MD with training in the field of psychiatry as well as full licensure in psychiatry in the state(s) in which you are practicing.

2. Rates

All rates in this rating plan are annual rates unless otherwise noted, and shall be pro rata for a policy term if other than annual. All factors or modifiers are multiplicative unless otherwise noted. Refer to Addendum A for base rates and territorial definitions for this state.

Compute the premium using the rates in effect on the policy effective date.

3. Rounding Procedures

Round the final premium to the nearest dollar. Round a premium involving 0.50 or more to the next higher whole dollar. Thus, 10,000.50 = 10,001.00; 10,000.49 = 10,000.00

4. Additional Premium Changes

- A. Apply the rates and rules in effect on the effective date of the change.
- B. Compute additional premium pro rata when any coverage or exposure is added or an amount of insurance is increased.

5. Return Premium Changes

- A. Apply the rates and rules in effect on the effective date of the change.
- B. Compute return premium pro rata when any coverage or exposure is deleted or an amount of insurance is decreased.

6. Policy Cancellation

- a) Compute return premiums as the pro rata unearned premium when:
 - 1) A policy is cancelled by the Company:
 - 2) The insured company no longer has a financial or insurable interest; or,

- 3) A policy is cancelled and rewritten.
- b) If the above rule does not apply, compute return premium at 0.90 of the pro rata unearned premium.

7. Extended Reporting Period

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for an additional premium calculated by multiplying the following percentages by the premium for the last expiring policy.

# of Years of	
Extended	
Reporting	Charge
Unlimited	200%

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for no additional premium in the event of:

- A. The death of the named insured while his/her policy is in force
- **B.** The total and permanent disability of the named insured when the disability commences while the policy is in force.
- C. Retirement of the named insured if they have permanently retired from the practice of medicine, is at least 55 years of age, and has been continuously insured with the Company for at least 5 years. However for those accounts that are existing clients of American Professional Agency as of September 30, 2004 the requirement to have been continuously insured with the Company will be waived provided that either the named insured has been continuously insured with a claims made policy through American Professional Agency for at least 5 years or has been insured by the Company for at least 2 consecutive years.

However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.

D. An account continuously insured with the Company for at least 10 years and with no prior claims during that period. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.

8. Locum Tenens

A Locum Tenens ("holds the place of") works in place of a Named Insured or Additional Named Insured, never at the same time. The Locum Tenens doctor must be underwritten in the same specialty classification as the Named Insured or Additional Named Insured. Coverage for Locum Tenens is provided for a maximum total of 45 days each policy year at no additional premium.

9. Suspension of Insurance

An insured may request suspension of insurance, due to disability or to accommodate a sabbatical leave of training. The insured will not be covered for claims or suits which arise based on an occurrence within the period of suspension. The insured is entitled to report claims during the period of suspension which arise from occurrences when the policy was in force and not on suspense.

Suspension may be secured for a minimum period of 90 consecutive days and for a maximum of one year. This option is allowed only once every four years except for reason of disability.

The charge during the suspension period is 50% of the claims made rate. If the Named Insured does not return to practice after the period of suspension, the Company will date the cancellation and calculate the premium for the Extended Reporting Period Endorsement effective from the beginning of the period of suspension.

10. Quarterly Payments

Quarterly payments are available for annual premium that is at least \$1000 \$500. The first payment is 35% of the total, with 3 equal remaining quarterly payments, due no earlier than 3, 6, and 9 months from policy inception.

An additional service charge of 1% of the total premium or \$5.00 for each of the 3 remaining quarterly payments, whichever is less, is billed.

Additional premium resulting from changes to the policy shall be spread equally over the remaining installments. If there are no remaining installments, additional premium resulting from changes to a policy may be billed immediately as a separate transaction.

Rating Formula and Factors

A. INDIVIDUALS

The premium for an individual psychiatrist is rated in accordance with the following plan.

Psychiatrist Professional and Office General Business Liability coverage is rated in accordance with the following formula:

= { BP x OF x ILF x CMSF x DF x SRF} + DCP, where: AP= Annual Premium for Healthcare Organizations BP = Base Premium x neurology practice debit, if applicable OF = Occurrence Factor, if applicable ILF = Increased Limits Factor CMSF = Claims Made Step Factor, if applicable DF = Discount Factor = (1 - sum of all applicable credits) SRF = Schedule Rating Factor = (1 - sum of all debits/credits) DCP = Premium for Defense Costs Related to Licensing Board Investigations

1. Base Premium

Base premium is for mature claims made for \$1,000,000/\$3,000,000 limit per practitioner. This premium is for coverage A (Psychiatrists' Professional Liability) and coverage B (Premises Liability).

Addendum A displays the Base Rates for the state and territories within the state.

2. Occurrence Factor

For occurrence based forms, apply a factor of 1.110.

3. Increased Limits Factors

Apply the increased limit factor based on applicable limit of liability. The base premium contemplates \$1,000,000 each claim and \$3,000,000 aggregate for the policy period.

!	Increased
<u>Limit</u>	Limit Factor
100,000 / 300,000	<u>0.670</u>
200,000 / 600,000	<u>0.750</u>
250,000 / 750,000	<u>0.770</u>
300,000 / 900,000	0.800
400,000 / 1.2M	0.850
500,000 / 1.5M	0.950
1M / 1M	0.970
1M / 3M	1.000
2M / 4M	1.250

284 / G84	4 000
2M/bM	1.280

4. Claims Made Step Factors

Apply the appropriate Claims Made Step Factor based on the retroactive date of the policy. The Step Year is calculated as:

Step Year

= (Expiration date – Retroactive date) / 365, rounded to nearest whole year

	Claims Made Step	
Step Year	Factor	
1	0 .50 <u>.35</u>	
2	0 .75 .65	
3	0.85	
4	0.95	
5+	1.00	

5. Program Discounts

- A. Child and Adolescent Psychiatry a 15% discount is available for members of the American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry psychiatrists whose patient base is less than 50% adult psychiatry.
- B. Part time discount a part time discount of 50% is available to an insured who works 20 hours or less per week or 26 weeks or less per year.
- C. A prep discount is available to those psychiatrists entering private practice for the first time who purchase a policy within 3 years upon completing an internship program, fellowship program, residency program or military service. The applicable prep discount is based on the number of years since the psychiatrist completed the program or service as follows:

50% - less than one year

35% - one year to less than 2 years

25% - 2 years to less than 3 years

0% - 3 years or greater

D. Member in Training (MIT) discount – a discount of 50% is available to an insured who has been classified as an MIT by the American Psychiatric Association.

Note: Only one of B., C., or D. above may apply to an insured.

E. A Risk Management Seminar discount of 5% is available for completion of courses that are approved by the Company.

F. New Business – 10% credit for each insured applying for a policy for the first time with the Company provided the insured has been claims-free for 6 months.

6. Neurology Practice Debit

•	Without Special Procedures	2 X Psychiatrist Base Premium
•	With Special Procedures	4 X Psychiatrist Base Premium

7. Defense Costs Related to Licensing Board Investigations

Defense costs of licensing board investigations or proceedings are covered by the policy for a limit of \$5,000 for no charge. Additional limits are available for additional premiums as follows:

	Additional
Limit	Premium
\$10,000	\$75
\$25,000	\$95
\$50,000	\$110

8. Schedule Rating Plan

- A. Claim free for more than 10 years 10% credit
- B. Practice Setting 10% credit to 25% debit
 - 1. Detention facilities
 - 2. Patient recruitment
 - 3. Home based practice
 - Facility has been subject to license or accreditation disciplinary action or federal investigation or prosecution, mass tort litigation or investigative reporting
 - 5. Clinical teaching activities exceed 50% of total practice time
- C. Nature and Scope of Practice 25% debit
 - 1. Treatment of borderline personalities and multiple personality disorders
 - 2. Treatment of pain management
 - 3. Use of abreaction, rage; sodium amytal, sex and recovered memory therapies
 - Supervision of /Consultation with professionals in 1,2 and 3 above
 - 5. Above average daily patient volume
 - 6. Failure to conduct initial patient interview before prescribing medications decline/nonrenew
 - 7. Pharmaceutical research decline
 - 8. General medicine refer to Company for rating/underwriting
 - 9. Adverse risk not contemplated in the base rate refer to Company for rating/underwriting
- D. General Factors 25% debit

- 1. Hospital staff privileges
- 2. Managed care network participation
- 3. Loss experience/history

B. GROUP ACCOUNTS

Medical groups that are professional corporations, partnerships or associations operated by behavioral healthcare professionals are rated as follows.

Each psychiatrist insured is rated in accordance with the individual program rules and rates above. Additional premium is charged for certain ancillary employees as noted below. An entity charge is then applied to the total premium for all psychiatrists and ancillary employees. The total premium for the medical group is the sum of the individual psychiatrist premiums, the ancillary employee premiums and the entity charge.

1. Ancillaries

Coverage for ancillary employees is provided at no charge, except for the following. The percentages apply to the appropriate psychiatrist premiums.

	Shared Limit	Separate Limit
Psychologists	20%	25%
Physician Assistants	20%	25%
Certified Nurse Practitioner	rs 20%	25%

2. Business Entity Charge

When a group of two or more psychiatrists have formed a corporation, partnership or association, business entity coverage is available on a shared limit basis for an additional 10% of the total premium for all psychiatrists and ancillary employees.

Darwin National Assurance Company Psychiatrist Professional and Office Liability

Effective:

10/1/2004

State:

Illinois

Territory:

4

Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry, Madison, St. Clair, Will Counties

<u>Limit</u>

Claims Made

<u>Year</u>	
4	
2	
3	
4	
5+	

\$500,000/\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000	\$1,00,000/\$3,000,000
\$ 8,5 50	\$8,730	\$9,000
\$12,825	\$ 13,095	\$ 13,500
\$14,535	\$14,841	\$15,300

\$16,587

\$17,460

\$17,100

\$18,000

Territory:

2

Champaign, Jackson, Macon, Sangamon, Vermillion Counties

<u>Limit</u>

Claims Made

<u>Year</u>	
4	
1 2	
3	
4	
5+	

\$500,000/\$1,000,00	00 \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000	\$1,00,000/\$3,000,000	
\$5,985	\$6,111	\$6,300	
\$8,978	\$9,167	\$ 9,450	
\$10,175	\$10,389	\$10,710	
\$11,372	\$11, 6 11	\$11, 970	
\$11,970	\$12,222	\$12.600	

Territory:

3

Remainder of State

\$16,245

\$17,100

<u>Limit</u>

Claims Made

<u> </u>	
1	
2	
3	
4	
5+	

\$500,000/\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000	\$1,00,000/\$3,000,000
\$4.275	\$4,365	\$4,500
\$6,413	\$6,548	\$6,750
\$7,268	\$7,42 1	\$7,650
\$8,123	\$ 8,294	\$8,550
\$8,550	\$8,730	\$9,000

<u>Darwin National Assurance Company</u> <u>Psychiatrists Professional and General Business Liability</u>

Addendum A - 1M/3M Fully Mature Claims-Made Base Rates <u>Illinois</u>

Territory 1: Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry, Madison, St. Clair, Will Counties	
	<u>18,000</u>
Territory 2: Champaign, Jackson, Macon, Sangamon, Vermillion Counties	
	12,600
Territory 3: Remainder of State	
	9,000

Neuman, Gayle

From: Sent: Wes Pohler [Wes@westmontlaw.com] Monday, August 30, 2010 1:41 PM

To:

Neuman, Gayle

Cc:

'Mourad, Marlene F'

Subject:

RE: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Attachments:

APA 00016 00 Psychiatrists Supplemental Application - Neurology With Procedures.doc

Thank you Gayle for your help.

With regard to your latest question, please see the following reply from the Company:

"Psychiatry and neurology are recognized as two distinct medical specialties and usually treat different medical conditions for different patient populations. The base policy form is specifically designed for psychiatrists and the definition of "Professional Services" does not include neurology. Base rates were established on the basis of excluding neurology. However, occasionally a psychiatrist will have additional training and certification in the field of neurology and conduct practice in that specialty (as disclosed in the main application, question 7.b.) – in which case the neurology rating factors are applied to recognize the difference in risk class.

If a psychiatrist practices neurology and seeks coverage for neurological procedures (as disclosed in the main application, question 7.b.), the supplemental application for Neurology With Procedures is completed. The various types of procedures are listed in that supplemental application's question 2.a. and 2.b. (described in the rating plan as "special procedures"). For such procedures, coverage is provided by endorsement only for those diagnostic and therapeutic procedures disclosed in that supplemental application."

Also, we have attached the supplemental application referenced in the above explanation so you can easily reference the list of procedures.

Please let us know if you have any additional questions.

Take care,

Wes

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Sent: Monday, August 30, 2010 11:38 AM

To: Wes Pohler

Subject: Darwin National Assurance Company - Rate/Rule Filing #2010-7010-R

Wes,

I have one follow-up question on this filing.

On page 6 under the Neurology Practice Debit, at first this appeared to be some type of rating element – however it states the neurologist will be charged a minimum of \$36,000. Are you writing coverage for neurologists too? Please provide the company's definition of "special procedures".

I request receipt of your response by September 1, 2010.

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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION FOR PSYCHIATRISTS' PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS LIABILITY INSURANCE COVERAGE

NEUROLOGY WITH PROCEDURES

- This Supplemental Application must be completed in full, including all required attachments. Write "None" if that applies.
- Attach a separate sheet of paper if more space is needed to answer any question.
- We treat all Applications as confidential. If additional assurances of confidentiality are required, we are willing to address the Applicant's needs.

Policy #:

PLEASE READ THE ENTIRE APPLICATION CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING.

1. Name of Applicant:

II. NEUR	OLOGICAL PROCEDURES INFORMATION			
sought un	dicate below all diagnostic and therapeutic neurologader this Policy: nostic Neurological Procedures Performed:	rical procedure	es that you per	form and for which coverage is
	Type of Procedure	Perfo	rmed?	If Yes, how often? (# per year)
(i)	Lumbar puncture	Yes	□No	
(ii)	edrophonium testing	□Yes	□No	
(iii)	ICP monitoring	Yes	□No	
(iv)	Radiological studies, including: plain films, myelography, angiography, CT, isotope PET or SPECT or MRI	□Yes	□No	
(v)	Electroencephalography or Magnetoencephalography	□Yes	□No	
(vi)	Evoked Potentials	□Ves	ΠNo	

Yes

Yes

Yes

No

No

□No

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(vii)

(viii)

(ix)

Polysomnography

Electronystagmogram

Autonomic Function Testing

(x)	Audiometry	□Yes	□No	
(xi)	Perimetry	□Yes	□No	
(xii)	CSF Analysis	□Yes	□No	
(xiii)	Imaging with Ultrasound (Duplex, Transcranial Doppler)	□Yes	□No	
(xiv)	Other (list):	□Yes	□No	
(xv)	Other (list):	□Yes	□No	
(xvi)	Other (list):	□Yes	□No	

b. Therapeutic Neurological Procedures Performed:

	Type of Procedure	Perfor	rmed?	If Yes, how often? (# per year)
(i)	Endovascular embolization, including use of coil, balloon, stent or microcatheter	□Yes	□No	
(ii)	Surgical clipping	□Yes	□No	
(iii)	rtPA or other IV/IA thrombolytic treatment	□Yes	□No	
(iv)	Use of devices for treatment of stroke, including snares, balloon/stents, Angiojets, Neurojets, or other mechanical, photonic / acoustic clot retrieval / emulsification devices	∐Yes	□No	
(v)	Carotid endarterectomy	□Yes	□No	
(vi)	Percutaneous transluminal angioplasty (PTA)	□Yes	□No	
(vii)	Intra-arterial papaverine injection	□Yes	□No	
(viii)	Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (TMS or rTMS) or Deep Brain Stimulation (DBS)	□Yes	□No	
(ix)	Vagus Nerve Stimulation	□Yes	□No	
(x)	Other (list):	□Yes	□No	
(xi)	Other (list):	□Yes	□No	
(xii)	Other (list):	□Yes	□No	

Note: Any and all of the above procedures are subject to review and underwriting approval according to the Insurer's underwriting guidelines. This list does not provide any guidance regarding coverage that may or may not be available under the Policy as respects any claim. Actual coverage may vary and is subject to policy language as issued. Please refer to the actual policy form for all applicable terms and conditions. Not all procedures listed above may be eligible for coverage.

III. NOTICE TO APPLICANT

APPLICANT UNDERSTANDS THAT THE INFORMATION SUBMITTED IN THIS SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION BECOMES A PART OF THE APPLICANT'S APPLICATION FOR PSYCHIATRISTS' PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS LIABILITY INSURANCE COVERAGE AND IS SUBJECT TO THE SAME NOTICES, REPRESENTATIONS AND CONDITIONS SET FORTH IN SUCH APPLICATION.

IV DECLAR	ATION AND SIGNATURE
I UNDERST	AND THAT IT IS MY OBLIGATION TO MAINTAIN ANY LICENSE REQUIRED IN THE ION(S) IN WHICH I PRACTICE.
Signed:	
Print Name:	
Title:	(Applicant/Owner/President of Corporation)
Date:	
Supplemental	Application must be signed, dated, fully completed and accompanied by the premium to be considered.
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B. GROUP ACCOUNTS

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1. Ancillaries

Coverage for ancillary employees is provided at no charge, except for the following. The percentages apply to the appropriate psychiatrist premiums.

Sha	áred Limit	Separate Limit
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2. Business Entity Charge

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General Rating Rules

This rating plan contains the rules, rates and rating procedures for the Psychiatrist Professional and General Business Liability program.

1. Eligibility

Eligibility for our Psychiatrist Professional Liability program requires an MD with training in the field of psychiatry as well as full licensure in the state(s) in which you are practicing.

2. Rates

All rates in this rating plan are annual rates unless otherwise noted, and shall be pro rata for a policy term if other than annual. All factors or modifiers are multiplicative unless otherwise noted. Refer to Addendum A for base rates and territorial definitions for this state.

Compute the premium using the rates in effect on the policy effective date.

3. Rounding Procedures

Round the final premium to the nearest dollar. Round a premium involving 0.50 or more to the next higher whole dollar. Thus, 10,000.50 = 10,001.00; 10,000.49 = 10,000.00

4. Additional Premium Changes

- A. Apply the rates and rules in effect on the effective date of the change.
- B. Compute additional premium pro rata when any coverage or exposure is added or an amount of insurance is increased.

5. Return Premium Changes

- A. Apply the rates and rules in effect on the effective date of the change.
- B. Compute return premium pro rata when any coverage or exposure is deleted or an amount of insurance is decreased.

6. Policy Cancellation

- a) Compute return premiums as the pro rata unearned premium when:
 - 1) A policy is cancelled by the Company;
 - 2) The insured company no longer has a financial or insurable interest; or,

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- 3) A policy is cancelled and rewritten.
- b) If the above rule does not apply, compute return premium at 0.90 of the pro rata unearned premium.

7. Extended Reporting Period

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for an additional premium calculated by multiplying the following percentages by the premium for the last expiring policy.

# of Years of	
Extended	
Reporting	Charge
Unlimited	200%

Extended reporting period coverage will be granted upon request for no additional premium in the event of:

- A. The death of the named insured while his/her policy is in force
- **B.** The total and permanent disability of the named insured when the disability commences while the policy is in force.
- C. Retirement of the named insured if they have permanently retired from the practice of medicine, is at least 55 years of age, and has been continuously insured with the Company for at least 5 years. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.
- D. An account continuously insured with the Company for at least 10 years and with no prior claims during that period. However, for those accounts that were insured in the American Psychiatric Association program immediately preceding first obtaining coverage with the Company on a Claims Made basis, credit will be given for all such years of continuous coverage in such Association program provided that the account has been continuously insured by the Company for at least one full year.

8. Locum Tenens

A Locum Tenens ("holds the place of") works in place of a Named Insured or Additional Named Insured, never at the same time. The Locum Tenens doctor must be underwritten in the same specialty classification as the Named Insured or Additional Named Insured. Coverage for Locum

Tenens is provided for a maximum total of 45 days each policy year at no additional premium.

9. Suspension of Insurance

An insured may request suspension of insurance, due to disability or to accommodate a sabbatical leave of training. The insured will not be covered for claims or suits which arise based on an occurrence within the period of suspension. The insured is entitled to report claims during the period of suspension which arise from occurrences when the policy was in force and not on suspense.

Suspension may be secured for a minimum period of 90 consecutive days and for a maximum of one year. This option is allowed only once every four years except for reason of disability.

The charge during the suspension period is 50% of the claims made rate. If the Named Insured does not return to practice after the period of suspension, the Company will date the cancellation and calculate the premium for the Extended Reporting Period Endorsement effective from the beginning of the period of suspension.

10. Quarterly Payments

Quarterly payments are available for annual premium that is at least \$500. The first payment is 35% of the total, with 3 equal remaining quarterly payments, due no earlier than 3, 6, and 9 months from policy inception.

An additional service charge of 1% of the total premium or \$5.00 for each of the 3 remaining quarterly payments, whichever is less, is billed.

Additional premium resulting from changes to the policy shall be spread equally over the remaining installments. If there are no remaining installments, additional premium resulting from changes to a policy may be billed immediately as a separate transaction.

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Rating Formula and Factors

A. INDIVIDUALS

The premium for an individual psychiatrist is rated in accordance with the following plan.

Psychiatrist Professional and General Business Liability coverage is rated in accordance with the following formula:

AP= { BP x OF x ILF x CMSF x DF x SRF} + DCP, where: AP = Annual Premium for Healthcare Organizations BP = Base Premium x neurology practice debit, if applicable OF = Occurrence Factor, if applicable ILF = Increased Limits Factor CMSF = Claims Made Step Factor, if applicable DF = Discount Factor = (1 - sum of all applicable credits) SRF = Schedule Rating Factor = (1 – sum of all debits/credits) DCP = Premium for Defense Costs Related to Licensing Board Investigations

1. Base Premium

Base premium is for mature claims made for \$1,000,000/\$3,000,000 limit per practitioner. This premium is for coverage A (Psychiatrists' Professional Liability) and coverage B (Premises Liability).

Addendum A displays the Base Rates for the territories within the state.

2. Occurrence Factor

For occurrence based forms, apply a factor of 1.110.

3. Increased Limits Factors

Apply the increased limit factor based on applicable limit of liability. The base premium contemplates \$1,000,000 each claim and \$3,000,000 aggregate for the policy period.

Limit	Increased Limit Factor
100,000 / 300,000	0.670
200,000 / 600,000	0.750
250,000 / 750,000	0.770
300,000 / 900,000	0.800
400,000 / 1.2M	0.850
500,000 / 1.5M	0.950
1M / 1M	0.970
1M / 3M	1.000
2M / 4M	1.250
2M / 6M	1.280



4. Claims Made Step Factors

Apply the appropriate Claims Made Step Factor based on the retroactive date of the policy. The Step Year is calculated as:

Step Year

= (Expiration date – Retroactive date) / 365, rounded to nearest whole year

	Claims
	Made Step
Step Year	Factor
1	0.35
2	0.65
3	0.85
4	0.95
5+	1.00

5. Program Discounts

- A. Child and Adolescent Psychiatry a 15% discount is available for psychiatrists whose patient base is less than 50% adult psychiatry.
- B. Part time discount a part time discount of 50% is available to an insured who works 20 hours or less per week or 26 weeks or less per year.
- C. A prep discount is available to those psychiatrists entering private practice for the first time who purchase a policy within 3 years upon completing an internship program, fellowship program, residency program or military service. The applicable prep discount is based on the number of years since the psychiatrist completed the program or service as follows:

50% - less than one year

35% - one year to less than 2 years

25% - 2 years to less than 3 years

0% - 3 years or greater

D. Member in Training (MIT) discount – a discount of 50% is available to an insured who has been classified as an MIT by the American Psychiatric Association.

Note: Only one of B., C., or D. above may apply to an insured.

- E. A Risk Management Seminar discount of 5% is available for completion of courses that are approved by the Company.
- F. New Business 10% credit for each insured applying for a policy for the first time with the Company provided the insured has been claims-free for 6 months.



6. Neurology Practice Debit

Without Special Procedures
 With Special Procedures
 X Psychiatrist Base Premium
 X Psychiatrist Base Premium

7. Defense Costs Related to Licensing Board Investigations

Defense costs of licensing board investigations or proceedings are covered by the policy for a limit of \$5,000 for no charge. Additional limits are available for additional premiums as follows:

	Additional
Limit	Premium
\$10,000	\$75
\$25,000	\$95
\$50,000	\$110

8. Schedule Rating Plan

- A. Claim free for more than 10 years 10% credit
- B. Practice Setting 10% credit to 25% debit
 - 1. Detention facilities
 - 2. Patient recruitment
 - 3. Home based practice
 - 4. Facility has been subject to license or accreditation disciplinary action or federal investigation or prosecution, mass tort litigation or investigative reporting
 - 5. Clinical teaching activities exceed 50% of total practice time
- C. Nature and Scope of Practice 25% debit
 - 1. Treatment of borderline personalities and multiple personality disorders
 - 2. Treatment of pain management
 - 3. Use of abreaction, rage; sodium amytal, sex and recovered memory therapies
 - 4. Supervision of /Consultation with professionals in 1,2 and 3 above
 - 5. Above average daily patient volume
 - 6. Failure to conduct initial patient interview before prescribing medications - decline/nonrenew
 - 7. Pharmaceutical research decline
 - 8. General medicine refer to Company for rating/underwriting
 - 9. Adverse risk not contemplated in the base rate refer to Company for rating/underwriting
- D. General Factors 25% debit
 - 1. Hospital staff privileges
 - 2. Managed care network participation
 - 3. Loss experience/history



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The maximum schedule rating adjustment is +/- 25%.

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Addendum A - 1M/3M Fully Mature Claims-Made Base Rates Illinois

Territory 1: Cook, DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry, Madison, St. Clair, Will Counties

18,000

Territory 2: Champaign, Jackson, Macon, Sangamon, Vermillion Counties

12,600

Territory 3: Remainder of State

9,000

